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CABLE NEWS.

Gladstone Expresses a Full and Explicit Opinion on the Deplorable Trafalgar Square Riot.

Limerick Under the Coercion Act---A Dynamiter Arrested in Glasgow --Still in Custody.

Nobility Fined and Imprisoned--Probable Prosecution of Wilson---Reported Resignation of Grevy.

Gladstone's Advice.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Gladstone, replying to the secretary of a London radical club, writes as follows to-day: I think you will expect me to meet your request by an explicit answer, expressing the best judgment which, while absent from the spot, I am able to form on the deplorable disturbance of yesterday. As I understand the matter the Home Secretary states yesterday for the information of the public that he intended to prevent yesterday's meeting in Trafalgar square, and he believed prevention to be within his legal power. The question is one of great moment to the inhabitants of London, particularly to those at present unemployed and in circumstances of distress. It will be felt that the state of the law in regard to this matter ought to be promptly tested and ascertained. Until such a decision can be had it is the duty of every citizen to refrain from all resistance to the determination of the executive branch of the government which is clearly entitled to administer the laws to what it may be advised is their true construction. Such an abstinence is, I think, due to the high character of the people of London for the maintenance of public order and respect to the law and mode in which it is applied through the medium of the admirable police of the metropolis. But I must add that an appeal to parliament and the nation of the grave and solemn issues now raised by the proceedings of the government in Ireland would suffer a disastrous prejudice were the appeal to be associated in any manner by those who make it with the metropolitan disturbance." It is the general opinion that Gladstone's advice is not to make a party issue out of the action of the authorities will be followed.

In reference to yesterday's disturbance at Trafalgar square the *Telegraph* says: The history of the metropolis has presented few sadder pictures than that which yesterday's riot presented. The rioters must be speedily checked or anarchy will spread. The *Chronicle* praises the forbearance of the police and the good work they did, but censures the authorities for provoking a conflict with the people by the invasion of a long cherished public right. The *Times* hopes that the rioters who were arrested yesterday and are held in custody, especially the ring leaders will receive exemplary treatment and be dealt with sternly. "Behind these," it says, "stand greater criminals, who by means of the press and in other ways labor to convert the English Sunday into a carnival of blood, for which the despicable brood ought to be shot summarily." Seventy-five charges were entered to-day at the Bow Street police court against the Trafalgar Square rioters of yesterday. Most of the prisoners escaped with a fine, but some were sentenced to four and six months' imprisonment at hard labor.

Queen and Pope.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The Queen has appointed the Duke of Norfolk a special envoy to convey her thanks to Pope Leo for sending Mgr. Salla to represent him on the occasion of the Queen's Jubilee celebration. The Duke will start for Rome early in December.

Limerick Proclaimed.

DUBLIN, Nov. 14.—The city of Limerick has been proclaimed under the coercion act.

A Dynamiter Arrested.

GLASGOW, Nov. 14.—An intermediate passenger on the steamship Indiana, which arrived to-day, was arrested at Greenock charged with being a dynamiter. His name is Cowatch *alias* Ranover. He had in his possession four dynamite cartridges which measured seven inches in length by one inch in diameter, also a gutta percha tube eighteen inches long with copper caps attached. He refused to answer any questions and was held.

Fined and Sentenced.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—Count D'Andlau has been sentenced by the court to five years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of £120 and be deprived of all civil and political rights for participation in the decoration selling scheme. This will practically make Gen. D'Andlau an exile, as he is not likely to return to France under such a sentence. Mme. Rattazi was sentenced to thirteen months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of £80. Mme. Vernon Attas De Curtiel received a sentence of two months' imprisonment. Mme. Sant Sauvier was acquitted. The *Temps*, the *National* and *Liberte* announce the preliminary examination in M. Wilson's case has resulted in a demand for the prosecution of M. Wilson. On account of the station of M. Wilson a sensation was created in the chamber of deputies. It announces the resignation of President Grevy. M. Henri Rochfort has been examined before the commission of inquiry and has produced evidence that M. Wilson had received large bribes from Baron Sallier's family.

It is reported that leave will be asked in the chamber of deputies to prosecute M. Wilson.

The Pope's Sympathies.

SAN REMO, Nov. 14.—The Pope has written a letter to the Crown Prince in which he expresses the most earnest wishes for his recovery. Professor Schoett states that the prince might live four or five years after the operation of tracheotomy had been performed.

The Prince's Malady.

The operation on Crown Prince Frederick William has been postponed indefinitely.

The Crown Prince's Condition.

BERLIN, Nov. 14.—Professors Bergmann, Gerhadt and Tobold have adopted Dr. Schmidt's report of the Crown Prince's disease, which urges the extirpation of the cancer. The Prince, however, refuses to give his consent to an operation. The Empress is expected to return to Berlin from Coblentz to-day.

WASHOUTS ON THE C. P. R.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 14.—Owing to the unusual severity of the storm on Saturday night several washouts and slides occurred between Keefer's and the Mission. These have all been repaired except one near Harrison river, which will take till to-morrow night to repair. Expect passengers down to Westminster to-night by steamer from Harrison and to-morrow's train will leave here on time with the expectation of going through.

H. ABBOTT.

WESTMINSTER FALL ASSIZES.

[Before Mr. Justice McCreight.]

11th November, 1887.

THIRD DAY.

The court opened at 11:45 a. m.

Jessie Hart was arraigned for stealing from the person of a Swede, named John Anderson, $150. The prisoner, who is now undergoing a sentence of six months imprisonment for keeping a house of ill-fame, pleaded not guilty, and was undefended. The prosecutor, a fisherman, went to the woman's house and remained all night, and during the next day missed the money from his pocket-book and gave the prisoner into custody for robbery. It appeared from the evidence of Antoine Rodriguez, who was also committed for the offence, and was living with the woman, and who had turned Queen's evidence, that he and a man named John Wilson, "a hard case," went together to the house of the prisoner, and that she gave him a fifty dollar note, which he handed to Wilson in payment of $21 he owed him and received the change. They then went to a tailor's place of business and ordered a pair of pants each, and Wilson gave his name as Fuller.

In her defence the prisoner said that if she wished to have robbed the man she could have done so during the night. She heard them talking of going through Anderson, and greatly against her will they did so. Wilson drugged Anderson and stole the money.

The jury after a few minutes consultation returned into court with a verdict of "not guilty," and the prisoner was conveyed back to the gaol.

John Wilson was then placed in the dock upon a similar charge. He also was undefended. The evidence of Rodriguez was then brought out again, which clearly showed that he was as much implicated in the robbery as Wilson and Jessie Hart. In addition to Rodriguez and prosecutor, testimony was given by Chief of Police Devlin, J. S. Manson, and W. Cartwright.

The jury retired, and after an absence of about half an hour returned into court with a verdict of "guilty."

This being the last case before the court his lordship ordered that the convicted prisoners be brought before him for sentence to-morrow at half past eleven.

The following prisoners will be brought up for sentence:

James Harris—Grievous bodily harm.
J. H. Smith—Cutting and wounding.
Eneri Vitto—In possession of an infernal machine.
John Wilson—Theft in a brothel.

FOURTH AND LAST DAY.

The court opened at eleven o'clock.

The following prisoners who had been convicted during the assizes were separately brought up and sentenced by his lordship.

J. H. Smith, found guilty of common assault, was sentenced to four month's imprisonment in H. M. gaol at New Westminster.

James Harris, found guilty of assault and inflicting bodily harm, received a sentence of one year's imprisonment in the gaol.

Eneri Vitto or Henry Viet, for having in his possession an explosive machine, was sentenced to a year's imprisonment in the gaol.

In answer to the usual question by the clerk of the assize, the prisoner stated, through an interpreter, that he made the machine for his father in Italy to protect him from robbers. His lordship was disinclined to credit this statement, particularly as the prisoner had been one of the Italians engaged in the late riot on the C. P. R. at Vancouver and had been fined $50 for carrying a loaded revolver.

John Wilson, found guilty of receiving stolen property knowing the same to have been stolen, received a sentence of eighteen month's imprisonment. A man named John Anderson, a Swede, with over $180 dollars in his pocket went to the house of Jessie Hart and was there drugged and eased of three fifties. From the evidence there was not a doubt that Wilson and a man named Rodriguez got the money. The latter afterwards "squealed" on the prisoner. The woman Jessie Hart, who was arraigned upon a similar charge and got off, was a *particeps criminis* and no doubt got her share of the plunder.

Reviewing the cases brought up at this assize the "old, old story" was assigned by the prisoners as the cause of their misdeeds—drink.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER

And His Fisheries Staff Leave for Washington To-Day.

The "Citizen" Completely Refutes the "Mail's" Statement Concerning the Hon. John Robson—A Fog Signal for Pato's Island.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Nov. 14.—On the representation of the Marine Department here the United States government has consented to erect a first-class Daboll trumpet as a fog signal on Pato's Island, Washington Territory.

The *Citizen* completely refutes the *Mail's* version of the Hon. John Robson's visit to Ottawa, and shows that months before the Inter-Provincial Conference was called the Dominion government asked the British Columbia government to send a representative here to discuss matters at issue.

Sir Charles Tupper and the Canadian staff on the Fisheries Commission leaves for Washington to-morrow.

Ten Year's of Torture.

Mrs. Thomas Acres, of Huntley, Ont., was for ten years a sufferer from liver complaint, which doctor's medicine did not relieve. After using four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters she was entirely cured, and states that she is like a new woman again. tu-thu-sat

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AMERICAN NEWS.

The Fisheries Commission Ready for Work--Date Not Yet Fixed--Proceedings to be Informal.

Work Found for Lazy Anarchists--Schwab as Scullery Maid--Fielden Goes to Cutting Stone.

A Frightful Accident--Perished in the Flames--A Dynamite Bomb Discovered in a Freight Car.

Withdrew Her Suit.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Mrs. Codiella Bustead has withdrawn her suit for divorce from ex-Judge R. Bustead.

A New York Failure.

A. S. Hatch & Co., bankers and brokers at 7 Nassau street, assigned today to H. H. Chittenden; the liabilities and assets could not be stated but are about $200,000 each, and Mr. A. S. Hatch says he expects the firm to pay in full. The house has been on the "bear" side of the market and the present rise in certain securities caused its embarrassment. The failure is not an important one. The firm did a comparatively small business, though its predecessor Fisk & Hatch, was one of the largest houses on the street. Mr. Hatch, who was the junior partner of Fisk & Hatch, came out of that house at the time of the Grant & Ward panic of 1884 with but little means at his disposal. He is a well known philanthropist and very popular among his fellow brokers. The firm had few depositors, and whatever loss there may be will fall on customers. No other failures are feared, despite some rumors that the large depositors were in trouble.

A Big Fire.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 14.—The station of the Prospect Park and Coney Island railroad and also of the Vanderbilt one horse car line, with a quantity of feed and rolling stock and 158 horses, were burned to-night, causing a loss of over $200,000, which is well insured.

The Whale Death a Success.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14.—By this morning thirty-nine whales of the Arctic and Okhotsk fleet had arrived in port from summer cruisers, and one is yet to come in, she is the bark Ocean, commanded by Capt. Marvin, and when last spoken had five whales. The season has been remarkably successful, the total catch being over 300 whales. Thirty nine whalers report having taken 32,334 barrels of oil, 544,352 pounds of bone, and 550 pounds of ivory. The Ocean will probably bring 350 barrels of oil and 7,500 pounds of bone, so that the catch may be put in round numbers at 33,000 barrels of oil and 550,000 pounds of bone, valued at $1,900,000.

Want Better Terms.

The secretary of the Ship Owners' Association announced this afternoon that the association would send no more vessels either to San Pedro or San Diego until the sailors came to terms and better facilities are provided by the dealers.

A Chinese Procuress.

The federal grand jury this afternoon returned an indictment against Lee Moon Lun. She is a one-eyed Celestial procuress, forty-eight years of age. She is charged with importing thirteen women for purposes of prostitution. A roll of accounts was found on the woman which shows how much she paid for each of the thirteen women. The prices ranged from $380 to $655.

The Fisheries Commission.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—The diplomatic reception room at the State Department is in readiness for the sessions of the fisheries conference. The date of the meeting has not been definitely settled, but it is believed that the conference will come together about the close of the week. Arrangements as to the methods of procedure will be left to be decided in the conference. The proceedings will be entirely informal and secret.

Cannot Import Explosives.

The department of state has been informed by the British minister that the government has deemed it necessary to rigidly enforce the act of parliament of 1875 concerning explosives, which renders any person importing explosives in his baggage into the United Kingdom is liable to a heavy penalty in addition to forfeiture of the explosives.

Interesting to Coal Miners.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 14.—This afternoon a sensation was created by an application from Wm. Kibler and wife and others interested for a *mandamus* from the court to compel the Susquehanah Coal Company to produce the bodies of the miners who were buried in No. 1 slope of that company at Naticoke on the 18th of Dec., 1885, and whose bodies are still entombed. If the court should grant the request of the petitioners the expenses to the company would reach a quarter of a million dollars. The result of the proceedings will be watched with great interest by persons interested in coal mining.

Perished in the Flames.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 14.—Word has just reached here that the residence of S. R. Culver, (colored) about two miles from Severn station, on the Baltimore & Potomac road, was burned early Saturday morning, and that Culver, his eldest son and his youngest child perished in the flames. Culver had his young child in his arms and was about to jump from the second story, when the flooring gave way and he fell back in the flames. The eldest son tried to enter the ground floor to save his father, and he too was lost.

A Town in Ruins.

WICHITA, Kansas, Nov. 14.—Yesterday morning, about 6 o'clock, the entire town of Haysville, about 12 miles south of here, was destroyed by fire. The fire was discovered in the general store of D. R. Jones. All efforts made by the citizens to quench the flames proved futile. The village was composed of several dwellings, store and shops. Every building was destroyed. The loss is heavy, with but little insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

A Frightful Accident.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Nov. 14.—About one o'clock yesterday morning a frightful accident occurred on the Ohio & Springfield Railway near Greenfield. A mogul engine and eight cars crashed through a bridge over Point Creek to the rocks, thirty feet below. The fireman, Jacob Hill, was so badly injured that he died. The engineer was not seriously injured.

Coke Worker's Meeting.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 14.—An immense meeting of coke workmen is in session at McConnellsville with delegates from all coke mining points. Their object is to form an organization to embrace all coke workers and render future strikes effective. No action will be taken on the wage question until the organization is thoroughly completed.

A Distinguished Arrest.

RICHMOND, Ky., Nov. 14.—Robt. McCreary, son of ex-Governor McCreary, is under arrest for killing Wm. Schilling, who died yesterday of wounds received at McCreary's hands on Friday last. McCreary and a companion were noisy in a saloon kept by Shilling's father-in-law. Schilling ordered them out, and in a quarrel which followed McCreary shot Schilling.

A Bomb Discovered.

PERN, Ind., Nov. 14.—The station agent of the Chicago & Atlantic railway at Rochester has discovered a dynamite bomb in a freight car. It was made of a piece of gas pipe. The dangerous missile was handed to the police and the fuse removed.

Skipped With $50,000.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 14.—It has just been ascertained that John H. Webber, a Northern Pacific Express messenger, disappeared a week ago, taking a package supposed to have contained about $50,000. The package was destined to a western point.

Work for the Anarchists.

JOLIET, Nov. 14.—Archists Fielden and Schwab were assigned to duty in the jail. Schwab is to work in the kitchen and Fielden is to cut stone.

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—Everything seemed to be quiet in the anarchistic circles to-day. Mrs. Parsons is still in a state of frenzy alternating with complete prostration, and is watched by devoted friends. The *Arbeiter Zeitung's* editorials to-day were of increasingly violent character, and there seems to be a disposition to utilize Mrs. Parsons' grief as the means of stimulating the wrathful energies of the faithful adherents.

THE TRAFALGAR RIOT.

One Hundred Thousand People Assemble on Trafalgar Square--The Police Powerless to Act.

The Military Called Out---The Mob Overawed--Free Fights Between the Police and the Mob.

An M. P. Joins the Mob, Gets Wounded and is Arrested for Assaulting the Police--Many Injured.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—An enormous crowd, estimated to number 50,000 persons, gathered in the vicinity of Trafalgar Square to-day, despite the warning of Sir Chas. Warren, commissioner of police, that no meeting in the square would be permitted. Most of those who came intended to take part in the anti-coercion meeting called by the radical clubs and leaders, but a large number of socialists and turbulent spirits of all kinds were also drawn to the spot. The crowd jammed all the approaches to the square and finally pressed so hard against the quadruple cordon of police who surrounded the open space, and became so threatening and demonstrative that orders were given the police to drive them back. These orders were carried out with great severity. The police were helpless, apparently believing that if they did not succeed in dispersing the crowd they would themselves be routed and treated without mercy. The hardest fighting was in Northumberland avenue, but there was a general encounter in all the streets debouching upon the square. Hundreds of persons, including numbers of women, were injured more or less severely. They were conveyed to the hospitals as soon as possible. An United Press reporter saw eight wounded men taken into Charing Cross Hospital within twenty minutes. The leaders of the mob seemed to be young roughs from the east end. At 10 o'clock Sir Charles gave up the attempt to control the mob with the police force at his disposal, and called upon the military authorities for assistance. A detachment of mounted and foot life guards quickly responded, having been held in readiness for such an emergency. Their appearance, together with that of a large reinforcement of police, resulted in the crowd being overawed and the streets were soon cleared. Most of the people seemed by common consent to take up their march for Hyde Park. A magistrate who had come with the military to read the riot act, remained on the ground but had no occasion to read the act. At six o'clock the military and police were still in possession and holding the square. A strong force also had been sent to Hyde Park.

The scene at Trafalgar Square to-day has not been equalled since 1866, when the people, in asserting their rights to public meetings, destroyed the railings of Hyde Park. Early in the day 4000 policemen took possession of the square and its approaches, and prepared to hold it and prevent the advertised meeting from taking place. Soon the different club associations, etc., began to arrive, after having marched through the various districts in which they belonged, headed by bands of music and flying flags, banners, streamers, etc. These detachments were composed of socialists, radicals, Irish societies and a few trades associations, and as fast as they came to the square they were attacked and dispersed by the police only to reassemble and press forward. Later on, as the crowds became more dense, fierce fights were started between the police and the mob in Northumberland Avenue, Whitehall, Pall Mall, and other adjacent streets, in which they were uniformly the victims, one detachment, headed by a band, succeeding in getting into the Square and a bloody fight ensued which ended finally in the repulse of the intruders and with the injury of many persons. With this detachment was Mr. R. C. Graham, liberal member of parliament for North West Lanarkshire, who was seriously hurt and subsequently arrested on the charge of assaulting the police. At 4:40 this afternoon the crowd numbered easily 100,000, and it became so perfectly manifest that the police were powerless to disperse them, that the military was summoned. In response to this call a force of cavalry and infantry came up on to the ground but they refrained from charging on the multitude because the people were awed by the presence of the troops and began to disperse and by dusk comparatively few remained. Two hundred citizens and 40 of the police were injured in the succession of melees that took place and about thirty of the disturbers were arrested, including Burns, the socialist leader. Some of the injured were well enough to leave the hospital after their wounds had been dressed, while others were so badly hurt that they cannot fully recover for weeks. One patient, in Charing Cross hospital, is terribly burned with vitrol, which was squirted upon him from a syringe. Another man, who is seriously cut in the thigh and other places says he received wounds from two policemen, one of whom thrust a bayonet through his thigh while the other stabbed him with a knife. Several injured policemen are suffering from knife wounds. It was noticeable that the crowd, while hooting, jeering and execrating the police, cheered the military. The infantry was posted in the middle of the square so that the mob should not take possession of the square in case they succeeded in breaking through the police line. They did not succeed in penetrating the police line, however, and it is perhaps fortunate that they were prevented, as it is believed instructions were given to read the riot act and for the infantry to fire upon the crowd the moment that the latter should break through the police cordon.

A large procession of rioters arrived at a point near the square, by way of St. James street and

PALL MALL,

about four o'clock hooting the Carlton club as they passed its post and cheering the Reform club when they reached its quarters. When the crowd reached the Athenum the police barred their further progress and the officers in command shouted, "You can't go any farther." The crowd pressed on, however, and the police charged on them with batons drawn. The crowd resisted for a moment but the onslaught of the police was too much for them to resist and they fell back. The police plied their clubs vigorously, broke down the banners carried by the procession and trode upon them and soon the mob was in full return on their way back. The retreating crowd met another procession *en route* to the square and with this body the fleeing men returned. Upon the arrival of the augmented crowd on the scene of the first fight they were met by an increased force of police. In a surprising short space of time the formidable looking mob were scattered in all directions. The crowd then blocked the passage to Pall Mall and Carlton House Terrace. While all this had been going on the Prince of Wales was sitting in a cab near by unobserved by the crowd or the police. When the second procession was scattered and broken up he directed the cab to be turned and driven to Marlborough House, where he ordered something to drink to be served to all policemen on duty near the house. The example of the Prince was followed by all of the clubs on Pall Mall. The procession comprising east-enders, was followed by a large van loaded with stones, clubs, etc., but upon the character of the vehicle's burden being discovered the driver was arrested. The police refused bail for Commissioner Graham in spite of his severe injuries. Most of the prisoners are confined in Bow street, Scotland Yard and King street stations. Between the hours of four and six o'clock seventy injured persons were treated at the Charing Cross hospital.

Dr. McKenzie the Man.

Before leaving to-day Dr. McKenzie reported that the cancerous growth in the Prince's throat was still very small. He agrees with the theory that the cancer was born with the individual growth of the patient and it is not the result of smoking. The Prince says if the operation is necessary only Dr. McKenzie shall perform it. He is, however, much adverse to having any operation performed while the Emperor lives.

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The Red River Road situation is unchanged. The citizens and Holt practically came to an agreement, but the *Free Press* attacks the contract in the allegation of boodling behind it. The principal difficulty in the situation appears to be a distrust of Norquay.

The Colonist.

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PROLONGING THE DISCUSSION.

Coun. Grant, in a lengthy and grandiloquent communication to an evening contemporary, evidently written to record his own cleverness, seeks to prolong, or rather to renew, the controversy on the water supply question. If the doughty councillor had not spent the last two or three months in the wilds of Cassiar, remote from the humanizing influence of the daily press, he would have known that the majority of the council had smashed the Hendry scheme and adopted the Summerfield scheme upon the recommendation of one of the foramost hydraulic engineers in America. In the opinion of most people hereabouts a renewal of the discussion at this time would be profitless. Coun. Grant takes the credit to himself of having proposed to the council "some time last summer" that the question of a better water supply be referred to an "outside engineer of well known reputation" to report. The councillor's memory needs refreshing. Early in the spring the water committee asked power of the council to refer the matter to Mr. Bell, who was extolled to the skies as a most competent authority until—unfortately for himself, but fortunately for the city—he reported adversely to the Hendry scheme, when he became all things that were bad. If Coun. Grant really did propose "some time in the summer" to refer the matter to an "outside engineer" he was only a copyist after all, and really stole the water committee's "thunder" fulminated in March, instead of the council stealing his. Later on in the season the water committee, through Coun. Pearse, proposed to again refer the matter to an "outside engineer," but Coun. Barnard, a member of the water committee, and a majority of the council voted the proposition down as one intended to cause delay. A month or so ago, advantage was taken of Mr. Keefer's presence in the city (on motion of Coun. Barnard) to ask his opinion of the several schemes. While Mr. Keefer was preparing his report the water commissioner proceeded steadily with his plans. There was no delay and Mr. Keefer's report endorsed the Summerfield scheme. Coun. Grant questions the legality of the action of the council in appointing a chairman after the mayor had refused to put a motion and maintains that the Municipalities Amendment Act, 1887, does not confer power on the council to appoint a chairman except in deciding a point of order. Who ever claimed that it did? The conduct of the mayor in refusing to put the motion on Wednesday night was a virtual abandonment of the chair for the time being, and his worship tacitly admitted this by allowing Coun. Coughlan to act as chairman without dissent or protest. The action of the council on Wednesday evening is fully sustained by precedent. In all deliberative boards the majority should rule, and when a chairman declines to put a motion constitutionally made he must be disciplined, or can be superseded for the time. If the majority did not possess this power one man—the Mayor, for example—in the chair could block all legislation and override the will, not only of a majority, but of the whole council. The contention that the mayor has the power to perpetrate so grave an outrage is too absurd to be seriously discussed. If Coun. Grant is desirous, as he says, that the extension should be begun this year and has no objection to the local firm doing the work, his actions and vote on Wednesday night belie his card of last evening.

THE FISHERY QUESTION.

The San Francisco *Chronicle* has throughout the controversy taken a very sensible view of the fishery complications on the Pacific. It is stated that there will be some trouble in the United States senate when it meets, over the question of the fisheries and the action of the joint commission. It will perhaps be remembered that just before adjournment last March that body decided by an almost unanimous vote, that it wanted no negotiations and no commissioners, but desired to stand up to Great Britain and demand her rights. Soon after congress adjourned, however, Secretary Bayard and President Cleveland between them appointed commissioners to meet with those from Great Britain, and when the senate convenes it will be confronted with the nominations of the American commissioners. Some Senators have gone so far as to say that they will not confirm the appointments or vote money to pay the salaries or expenses of the commissioners, and there is no fund subject to the orders of the State department out of which they can be paid. The *Chronicle* says: But a graver question than that will be as to the action of the Senate upon a treaty that may be prepared and presented by the joint commission. Will the Senate stand upon its dignity so far as to reject a favorable treaty because it said last March that it did not want a treaty? Will it refuse to listen to the propositions of the commissioners because it voted against a commission? We can hardly concede such a thing as that. The Senate is composed largely of men of ability and of wide knowledge and experience in national affairs; and one can hardly imagine that body doing anything so silly and puerile as rejecting an advantageous treaty because it had once said that it did not want a treaty. Many matters have occurred since the adjournment of the Senate which makes an amicable settlement of the whole question of the fisheries eminently desirable. Great Britain has been exorbitant and imperious in its demands on the Atlantic side, and we have been every bit as obstinate and pugnacious in enforcing our claims on the Pacific side. Things have come to such a pass that they must be adjusted, either by treaty stipulation or by war. Between these two there cannot be a moment's hesitation as to which alternative to adopt. All the fish and all the seals in both oceans are not worth a day, an hour, a minute of war, or a single drop of human blood. It is beneath the dignity of two such nations as Great Britain and the United States to go to war for such a cause, more especially as no serious difficulty stands in the way of peaceable negotiations and a settlement of the whole question. It is well enough for the senate to uphold its own dignity, and to be firm in maintaining its position where great questions of principle are involved; but its resolutions and declarations are not like the laws of the Medes and Persians, and its first and highest duty is to the welfare of the nation and not to its own dignity or privileges. The senate might better reconsider its resolution twice over and expunge it from the record than factiously oppose a treaty which shall insure peace with Great Britain, and that, too, without the loss of national honor or self-respect.

SICK UNTO DEATH.

It is very evident that Germany's Crown Prince has not many years to live. One can read between the lines in the carefully written bulletins sent out by the physicians and see there plainly written the fatal words "no hope." He may live for weeks or months, but the terrible malady with which he is afflicted will sooner or later bring him to the grave. One cannot but admire the great fortitude with which he views the end and regret that Death, the conqueror, has marked him for its prey. But the grim monster spares no more the palaces of princes than the cottages of the peasant, he is an unwelcome visitor who knows no distinction of persons. Britain, to whom the Crown Prince is allied by the nearest and dearest ties, sympathizes with Germany, and looks eagerly forward to any news of a favorable change in his condition. It may be that the doctors' skill will bring him safely out of the valley of the shadow of death and grant him to succeed to the throne. The Kaiser cannot live long, and with the Crown Prince gone Germany would be placed in a very unfortunate position. Both have been striking figures in the army, beloved by the officers and endeared to all the people. In the event of their death there is none to stand foremost in the battle which is surely coming and lead his subjects on to victory. Who can forget that in 1866, when the war broke out between Russia and Austria Frederick William led his army, composed of 125,000 men, from Silesia through the passes of the Sudetic Hills, an operation exposed to great difficulties and to considerable danger? By a series of brilliant operations the army pushed its way through the mountains, fighting seven actions at Trautenau, Nachod, Skalitz, and Schweinschadel. Before he had practically effected his junction with Prince Frederick Charles, General Benedek had made preparations to attack the latter with superior force, and the battle of Sadowa or Koniggratz was the result. The Crown Prince appeared on the field unexpected by the Austrians in the middle of the battle, struck the heart of the Austrian position, and decided the fortunes of the day. His march from Miletin to Koniggratz, and his series of victories on entering Bohemia established his reputation as an energetic commander. Then again in the war between France and Germany he acted a most conspicuous part. The close of July, 1870, found him on the Rhine frontier, in command of about 200,000 men and 500 guns. On the 4th of August he vigorously attacked the position held at Weissenburg by that portion of Marshal McMahon's *corps* which was commanded by General Abel Douay. The French were repulsed and dispersed after a severe struggle. He turned the French line at Woerth at two points, and there left and centre were broken. Notwithstanding a desperate charge of cavalry which was ordered by McMahon as a last resort at Sedan he succeeded in crossing the Meuse, an extremely difficult feat, made his way to Paris, entered Versailles, and remained in the invested city until the conclusion of peace. His has been a warrior's career and he has upheld the flag wherever he appeared. Bismarck is not a man of war; the Crown Prince's eldest son is but a young man. Will he ever, though he he has not yet attained his 28th year, develop all those qualities which have made his race famous and carry the flag on to greater victories than have ever been achieved by his sire and grand-sire in the past?

COUNT TOLSTOI gave to a recent visitor a glowing description of the labors of the field. "Ah!" he exclaimed, "what a joy it is, when the head is tired with work, to be able to repose one's self by a simple physical exercise! Every day, according to the season, I go out mowing, digging or plowing. Oh, the plow! You little dream what a pleasure it is, and what good it does to the heart! How joyfully the blood flows through the veins! The head becomes clear, and the feet so light that you scarcely feel them. And what an appetite one gets, and how soundly one sleeps afterward!"

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THURSDAY, THE 17TH INST., HAVING been set apart and appointed by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council as a day of General Thanksgiving throughout the Dominion, the Public Offices will be closed on that day.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
3rd November, 1887. nv4 2w

NOTICE

To Mariners and Others

THE BRIDGE FOR CROSSING VICTORIA Harbor for the Esquimalt, Nanaimo Railway Company being about to be commenced, it will be necessary to Drive Piles, from time to time, from both sides of the Harbor towards the channel. A red light will be exhibited from "Dusk to Dawn," on the outside pile of the eastern side. Steamers, or other Craft will, when either going up or down at night or during the day, steer close to and the westward of the outside pile.

W. R. CLARKE,
Harbor Master.
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NOTICE.

To Bridge Engineers and Contractors.

THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER of Lands and Works hereby invites Bridge Contractors to submit plans, details, specifications, straining sheets, and tender for the construction of a Tradle Bridge, to cross the Fraser River at Lillooet, up to noon of Saturday, 29th of October next.

Required—One clear span of 200 feet in length; approach (on the west side) three spans of 51 feet each; width of roadway, 18 feet; live load 1,000 lbs. per foot; factor of safety, 5.

Falsework can only be erected in winter when the river is frozen over.

The bridge site is about 55 miles from Ashcroft Station, on the Canadian Pacific Railway with which it is connected by wagon road.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for $500, payable to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, which will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

The contractor will be required to give satisfactory security, amounting to half the contract price for the due fulfilment of the contract, and for the maintenance of the bridge for a period of six months from the date of the completion of the work.

A plan and profile of the site can be seen at, or seen at the office of the undersigned.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department.
Victoria, B.C., 25th August, 1887. au27-dw

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[On Mainland.]

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[On Vancouver Island.]

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Department of Public Works

ESQUIMALT

Graving Dock

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Graving Dock at Esquimalt is now ready to receive ships for repairs.

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JOSEPH W. TRUTCH,
Dominion Government Agent.
Dominion Government Agent's Office,
Victoria, B. C., 12th October, 1887.
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HUGH NELSON.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. E. IRVING,
Deputy Attorney General.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 3, of an Act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia, in the fiftieth year of Our reign, instituted "An Act to repeal (in part) the 'Sumas Dyking Act, 1878,'" that the said Act shall not come into force until a day to be named in a Proclamation by the Lieutenant-Governor and published in the *British Columbia Gazette*. And whereas Our said Lieutenant-Governor, by and with the advice of his Executive Council, has been pleased to name the Thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, as the day on which the said Act shall come in o force.

NOW KNOW YE therefore that in pursuance thereof, We do hereby proclaim the said Thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, as the day on which the said "Act to repeal (in part) the 'Sumas Dyking Act, 1878,'" shall come into force.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable HUGH NELSON, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this twenty-sixth day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the fifty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
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NOTICES.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

TO ARCHITECTS.

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Plans for this Building to be addressed, in sealed envelope, to the undersigned, and to be handed to him by or before noon of 7th December next. WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Wharf Street, Victoria, Hon. Secretary.
13th Sept., 1887. se16

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that I shall apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., for the issuance of a Crown Grant for that lot or parcel of land known as the "Silver King Mineral Claim," which is more fully described as to metes and bounds by the official plot hereunto posted and by the field-notes of Survey thereof on file in the office of the Gold Commissioner, Kootenay District.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground or premises, or any portion thereof, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed within the time prescribed by the Mineral Act, 47 Vict., ch. 10, they will be barred by the provisions of the said Statute. WILBUR A. HENDRYX,
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NOTICE.

KING TYE CO. BEG TO INFORM THE Public that they have secured the services of LEE MONG KOW from this date to act with LEONG KEE as interpreter on behalf of the said firm.

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Victoria, B. C., October 17th, 1887. oc18 1m

NOTICE.

HAVING THIS DAY PURCHASED THE interest of W. Cameron in the Blacksmithing Business carried on under the name of CONLIN & CAMERON, Pandora Street, I beg to thank the Public for their liberal patronage in the past and solicit a continuance of the same in the future. The business will be carried on as before by me, to whom all outstanding debts must be paid.

MICHAEL J. CONLIN.
Victoria, Oct. 18th, 1887. oc20 1m

NOTICE.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE ESTATE OF Robert Magirl, deceased, invite tenders for the purchase of the Bay Tannery, the plant and the land on which the tannery is situated. The highly desirable property consisting of Lots 1 and 2, Block A, in the City of Victoria, with the buildings thereon conveniently situated on Victoria harbor, is in complete working order and offers a good opportunity for investment.

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Estate of Robert Lipsett, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Supreme Court of British Columbia has granted Probate of the will of the deceased, dated 6th June, 1876, to Mr. Isaac Lipsett and Mr. John C. Cilker, two of the executors therein named, power being reserved of making the like grant to the other executor in the said will.

All persons indebted to or having claims against the Estate are to make payment or application for payment as the case may be to the executors, at the office of the undersigned.

Dated 18th day of October, 1887.
S. PERRY MILLS,
Langley Street, Victoria,
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Estate of Henry S. Ligon, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Hon. H. P. P. Crease, a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, has this day granted Probate of the will of the deceased (dated 9th September, 1887), to Mr. Godfrey Kennedie, the sole Executor.

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IRON RULE IN IRELAND.

Balfour's Declarations at Birmingham. ---A Remarkable Speech.

Hard Lines Ahead in the Green Isle--The Threats of the London Anarchists.--Bismarck's Hand.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Balfour's speech last week at Birmingham, remarkable for many things, is remarkable for nothing more than its courageous cheerfulness and confidence. The Irish Secretary unquestionably believes the Government is winning in Ireland, that the league has had its innings and made a good score, but that the turn of the other side has come. That is the substance of his statement. Not less remarkable is Balfour's handling of Gladstone. There has been nothing like it since Beaconsfield. Balfour has taken hold of Gladstone's Nottingham speeches. These startled, even pained, some of Gladstone's best friends. They thought his way of dealing with the Mitchelstown affair reckless, and what he said of the Whelehan murder more reckless still. Balfour has made the most of his opportunity. His accounts of the Mitchelstown and Lisdoonvarns affairs are given deliberately. He has the evidence in his possession and he directly contradicts Gladstone on the most essential points of history. "The demon of inaccuracy pursues him," says Balfour, "when he comes to a statement of policy."

FREE SPEECH AND FREE CRIME.

Again, it must be said, right or wrong, neither clearness nor courage is wanting to this young minister. He has said exactly that which the Government intend to do—that they will not tolerate free speech when it leads to free crime, and they have suppressed, and will continue to suppress, public meetings directly inciting to crime. "When," says Balfour, "they pass beyond the bounds I have indicated, when through any cause a meeting becomes the precursor of barbarous crimes, the executive would be failing in its primary duty if it hesitated to stop them."

Gladstone's offer to break up Welsh and Scotch church establishments is, says Balfour, a bribe to the non-conformists to engage in his policy of dismembering the empire by offering them the plunder of the church.

THE ATTACKS ON CHAMBERLAIN.

Many influential Liberals disapprove the lecturing of Chamberlain, which certain Radical organs keep up, and they disapprove not less strongly such outbursts as those of the Toronto *Globe*. "The policy of that journal," says one writer, "must seriously embarrass the delicate negotiations, and cannot fail to weaken the authority not only of Chamberlain but of Sir Lionel West and Sir Charles Tupper." Nevertheless such powerful provincial journals as the Liverpool *Post* and Manchester *Guardian* are firing off broadsides against Chamberlain. They fasten on Goldwin Smith's remark in a letter to the *Times* that Chamberlain could not have committed himself beforehand against a commercial union between Canada and the United States, but he did, they say, so Goldwin Smith's defense becomes a censure. "Sitting on the commercial safety valve," said Professor Goldwin Smith, in his epigrammatic way, "may produce a political explosion." But Chamberlain has declared, says the Liverpool *Post*, that this is just what he is going to do.

BISMARCK'S HAND.

If the *Times* version of the triple alliance between Germany, Austria and Italy be correct, the peace of Europe has a better guarantee than ever before. Bismarck's hand is visible in everyline. This explains, among other things, the new departure in Germany's policy respecting Bulgaria. Russia can no longer count upon benevolent neutrality at Berlin toward her high-handed proceedings in the Balkans. France and Russia alike find themselves in the presence of a combination capable of keeping both in order.

THE ANARCHISTS' THREATS.

Yesterday's arrests in Trafalgar square signify that Sir Charles Warren is once more to be allowed to use his own judgment in suppressing meetings where crime it openly advocated. The anarchists who lead these meetings openly threatened a great riot on Lord Mayor's day. One of them advised the roughs to come with a supply of stones. Warren admits he expects trouble on that day, and considers if he is held responsible for order he must use his own discretion. Public confidence in him is considerably greater than in the Home Office under Matthews, whose resignation is both expected and desired.

NEW HYDRAULIC MACHINERY.

In connection with the great increase of sanitary works, such as sewage farms, waterworks, drainage, etc., it is of first-class importance to utilise natural water powers whenever they are available, rather than always to rely on steam power. That this is not always done is due to the expensiveness of the machinery required, which often exceeds that for steam power. Therefore a new invention for utilising water power which is very much less costly than any hitherto used is a matter of great importance to all who are interested in sanitary work.

Such an invention has lately been made. Some particulars of it have appeared in a pamphlet by Mr. D. H. Pearsall, C.E., published by Messrs. Spon & Co., and we have received some further particulars from Mr. Pearsall. The invention makes use of what is almost a new principle,as it has hitherto been used only on a very small scale. On a small scale it is known to all engineers by the common hydraulic ram. Mr. Pearsall also calls his machine 'rams,' but their action is so superior to that of the machines known by that appellation, and they are available under such very different circumstances, that they should really receive a distinct name. In what may be called its normal form the machine consists of an iron pipe ending in an air-vessel with which the pipe communicates by some ordinary valves. Immediately under the air vessel there is an opening in the pipe (extending round the whole periphery) which is alternately opened and closed by a hollow sliding cylinder which is moved up and down by a small motor worked by the air from the air-vessel. This is the whole of the machinery, and with any water power which may be available, any kind of pumping can be done by this simple machine alone. There is not, as usual, first a water-wheel to convert the power into motion, and then pumps to utilize the motion, but the whole work is done at one operation and in one machine.

The result of this extreme simplicity is naturally a great economy in cost and also a great economy in power. An instance will illustrate this. A corporation near London has purchased considerable water rights with a view to using the water to raise the sewage of the town to such a level that it can be used on a sewage farm. A well-known and thoroughly able engineer was employed by the corporation to report on the proposed works, and reported that using the best ordinary machinery the water power was not quite sufficient to raise all the sewage required to be raised, so that the turbines would have to be supplemented at certain seasons of the year by steam power. The cost of ordinary machinery was estimated at £3,000.

Mr. Pearsall was afterwards asked to report, and reported that machinery on his new plan would cost £1,500, and could be guaranteed to work with such economy of water that the water power would be not only ample to raise all the sewage required to be raised at the present time, but also all the sewage requiring to be raised when the town should have increased its population by 50 per cent.

Other works on this system are being designed to supply a town with electric light by the agency of a waterfall twenty-five miles distant. In this case the water-power is caused, by means of Pearsall's rams, (without any pumps or other additional machinery whatever) to compress and force air instead of water through small pipes extending from the waterfall to the town, where the compressed air is used in the same way as steam to drive dynamos.

Similar machinery can also be used for many other purposes. For instance, designs are now in hand for water supply for a town, water-saving apparatus on locks, and compressing air for working rock-drills. The invention will be found to be eminently advantageous in these and many other circumstances.—*Sanitary Record.*

SOME THINGS WORTH KNOWING.

—Lemon peel helps the flavor of a veal stew.

—The masculine full dress vest will be cut U-shaped.

—A new magazine has been started in New York. It is called *Dress*.

—Col. Ludlow is going to ask Congress for $1,000,000 for Washington streets this winter.

THE CHLOROFORM MYTH.

An Old Detective Explodes the Familiar Belief in the Use of Chloroform by Burglars.

An old detective, in the employ of Inspector Byrnes, was telling a bloodcurdling tale of midnight robbery.

"Why didn't the burglar chloroform the man the moment he got into the room?" inquired the reporter. "You say he was there half an hour before the man woke up and captured him."

"Don't I tell you that the man was over six feet tall and as strong as a bull, while the burglar was only a boy sixteen years old."

"Yes, but what of that?"

"Did you ever see a man chloroformed?"

"No."

"Will you go into a doctor's office sometime and see how it is done? Unless a man is held down by force or submits himself willingly to the operation it is impossible to chloroform him."

"Yes, but this man was in a sound sleep."

"What of that? Do you know how long it takes to put a man under the influence of chloroform?"

"A minute or so, I suppose."

"Two or three minutes rather, and the first application of the drug is certain to waken any living man who is not under the influence of some powerful narcotic. Before he had taken two whiffs of the anesthetic he would have been wide awake, and the robber would have been captured half an hour earlier than he was."

"But they do chloroform people sometimes, don't they?" asked the reporter.

"If you refer to doctors, I would say yes, but if you mean burglars, I would say no. I don't know a single instance, though the public and the press believe there are many every month. I think I can prove it to you. Every case where a man is chloroformed, according to his own account of his adventure, he has recovered. How often do you hear of men dying under the influence of chloroform when it is carefully administered by a skilled physician? Very often indeed. The chloroform must be properly mixed with fresh air, and even then the experiment is often fatal. Now, do you think that an ignorant burglar could always avoid killing his victim? Neither do I nor any one else who has given the subject a close study.

"No, sir," added the detective in conclusion. "I tell you chloroforming persons by thieves is a myth and a fraud. It is a story originated by the victims to add a more startling flavor to their yarns and to account more clearly for their weak submission, which I have found is caused more by fear than chloroform."

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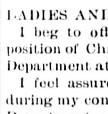

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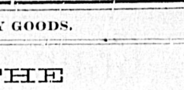

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GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	GOING NORTH. No. 4 Passenger Fri., Sat., and Sun.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	GOING SOUTH. No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
De 8.20 A.M	De 2.20 P.M	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	Ar 5.40 P.M	Ar 11.40 A.M
8.30	2.30	ESQUIMALT	5.30	11.30
8.55	2.55	GOLDSTREAM	5.05	11.05
9.50	3.50	SHAWNIGAN L'E	4.10	10.10
10.00	4.00	COBBLE HILL	4.00	10.00
10.15	4.15	McPHERSON'S	3.45	9.45
10.25	4.25	KOKSILAH	3.35	9.35
10.30	4.30	DUNCAN'S	3.30	9.30
10.40	4.40	SOMENOS	3.20	9.20
11.02	5.02	CHEMAINUS	2.58	8.58
Ar 12.00 M.	Ar 6.00	NANAIMO	De 2.00	De 8.00
De 12.10 P.M	De 6.10	NANAIMO	Ar 1.50	Ar 7.50
Ar 12.25	Ar 6.25	WELLINGTON	De 1.35	De 7.35

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Victoria, B.C., July 25th, 1887. jul26-dw

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JAS. D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, November 5th, 1887. nov5

NO. 151.

A BY-LAW

To Define the Width of Streets.

Passed 12th October, 1887.

Whereas, It is expedient to define the width of streets to be hereafter taken over and maintained by the City of Victoria, therefore

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the corporation of the City of Victoria:

1. "This by-law may be cited for all purposes as the street width by-law, 1887."

2. From and after the passage of this by-law no street that shall be of less width than sixty feet from the line fence on either side thereof shal be accepted or maintained by the said city.

3. It shall not be lawful to devote any part of the city revenue in surveying, grading or graveling or in laying sidewalks [illegible] ong the line of any street not already acce[illegible]d or taken over by a vote of this Council [illegible] at shall be of less width than sixty feet from the line fence on either side thereof.

4. This by-law shall not apply to any street accepted or taken over by the city a th date of the passing hereof.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

All persons wishing to qualify as Voters at the next election for Mayor and Councilors are required to pay all rates and taxes due by them, on or before the 1st day of December next.

JAS. D. ROBINSON,

Clerk Municipal Court.

CITY HALL, 11th November, 1877. nv10

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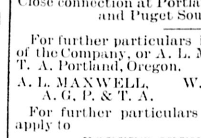

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FOR PLUMPER PASS. Monday, at 13 o'clock.

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Nov. 14.—Str Olympian, Port Townsen .
Str Princess Louise, Vancouver.
Str Rainbow, New Westminster.
Ship America, Nanaimo.
Str Geo. W. Elder, San Francisco.

CLEARED.

Nov. 14.—Str Olympian, Port Townsend
Str Princess Louise, Vancouver.
Str. Rainbow, New Westminster.
Str Amelia, Nanaimo.
Str Geo. W. Elder, Port Townsend.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str OLYMPIAN from Puget Sound—J Wilson, W Smith, D B Jackson, C Horre, J Olsen, W Lang, T Butler, Chaffibers, Marshall, Mrs Smith, Major F Austrathy, L Madrew, M Keilly, A Lewis, Miss Jerard, Starling, Haynes; Mercer, S H Smith, J McGillivray and wife, E Jones, W Cowles, A Biger, Kellogg, Cruikmore, Paplin, Jessop.

Per Str. PRINCESS LOUISE from Vancouver Nov 13th—Dr Morrison, Jno Braden, D L Chalmers, Capt F M White, Mrs White, Miss Kate White, Mrs Isaac, J Hyman Capt Tatlow, A McAllister, W Lawe, W S Udy, H Harrisson, J Nelands, H M Otton, T Shaw, Miss Shaw, H C Blackett.

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AT THE OCCIDENTAL—M Anderson, St Faicon; James Goshen, Henry Somers, S McKinnon, Vancouver; Geo Howe, Comox; Fredk Hoyt, Rio Grande; W G Munroe, G Matheson, Squamish; James Dobie, Henry Brethour, Saanich; T W Brown, Alaska; W M Langton, San Francisco; A T Ellis, Juneau City Alaska; J Anderson, Ontario; F Warner, London; M Nully, Tacoma.

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Gun Practice.

The annual gun practice of the three batteries at headquarters will take place next Thursday—Thanksgiving Day—at Finlayson Point battery. No. 4 will fire at 9 a.m., No. 3 at 11 a.m., and No. 2 at 1 o'clock.

Heavy Freight.

The Elder, which arrived from San Francisco yesterday, had about 400 tons of miscellaneous freight destined for New York and other eastern points over the C. P. R. The bulk of the shipments consist of wool, beans and salmon.

Shorthand.

A shorthand class will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at H. L. Gulline's office, over Spencer's Arcade. Pupils evincing an interest in the art will have every opportunity of being pushed rapidly forward. The terms, we understand, are very moderate.

Whalers Arrive.

Three more whaling barks arrived at San Francisco on the 4th inst.—the Ohio, thirty-three days from Okhotsk, with 670 barrels of oil and 7,500 pounds of bone; the Charles W. Morgan, thirty-four days from Okhotsk, with 1,350 barrels of oil and 11,000 pounds of bone; and the Hidalgo, twenty-five days from Fox Islands, with 450 barrels of oil and 7,000 pounds of bone.

N. W. Rifle Association.

The annual meeting of the New Westminster Rifle Association will be held at the rifle range, Brownsville, on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day. Firing will commence at 9:30 a.m. sharp. A large number of our marksmen ought to attend as the prizes to be presented are of value. Those who go can return to the city on Friday on the Yosemite.

Paralytic Stroke.

It is feared that another old pioneer is about to pass from our midst. Yesterday morning Mr. Thos. Innes, better known as "Tommy," was stricken down with paralysis, and anxiety is felt for his recovery. Mr. Innes is a prominent Oddfellow and also a member of the St. Andrews & Caledonian Societies, and is held in the highest esteem by this brethren. He came to this province in 1856.

The Squamish Settlers.

Acting upon the telegram from the chief commissioner Mr. C. Warwick, government agent at Westminster, chartered the steamer Stella and a scow, and purchased provisions and other supplies. At eleven o'clock Saturday morning the steamer left for Squamish river with Col. McGregor on board; who has charge of the relief. The Norwegians will be brought to Westminster and quartered in the immigration sheds until another and more suitable location is decided upon.

The Wrecked Steamer.

An attempt was made on Saturday to save what is left of the steamer Pearl, but just as the tugs Samson and Emma got within a hundred yards of her she capsized. Capt. Savary, of the Samson, succeeded in anchoring her and she is now floating one mile north by west of No. 1 buoy in the south channel of the Fraser in two-and-a-half fathoms of water. Shipmasters and others navigating in that locality are warned and advised to govern themselves accordingly.

Fire Department Election.

The election for chief and assistant engineers of the fire department takes place on the 12th December, and Mr. D. F. Fee, jr., is the Richmond in the field, announcing himself thorough our columns as a candidate for assistant engineer. Mr. Fee is a through fireman and has been an active member of the fire department for many years, during which period he has rendered valuable service, and no doubt has obtained by practical experience many qualifications necessary for the office he aspires to.

"Interior Decoration."

This is the title of a handsomely bound volume published by Wm. T. Comstock, of New York. The authors are Arnold W. Brunner and Thomas Tryon, architects, being papers published from time to time in *Building*, an architectural magazine, but now revised, partly re-written, and, with the addition of many new illustrations—there are 65 in all—presented to the public in a more complete and convenient form. The contents are as follows: Introductory; the hall; the staircase; the library; the parlor; the dining room; the study, and the bed-rooms. Price, $3.50; for sale by the B. C. Stationery Co.

Westminster Ahead.

The result of the entrance examination for law students at Dalhousie college, Nova Scotia, is published, says the *Columbian*, and the result is that of sixteen applicants eight were plucked. Mr. G. W. Howay, of this city, heads the list by about 200 marks, and that against an under graduate of Dalhousie college. He has made the following remarkable score: For associated arts, he was second against all competition; at 17 years of age he stood first of the "A's" for "A" teachers' certificate, and at 18 he went up again and stood at the head of the list against an honor student of Dalhousie. Mr. Howay received his training at the high school in this city.

Disgusted With Vancouver.

The boat house belonging to the Vancouver Boating and Canoeing club, and which stands at the eastern extremity of the C.P.N. wharf, has shown its disgust for Vancouver in a rather forcible manner. During the late gale the house got adrift and, filled with boats, cedar canoes and all sailing apparatus, floated away in the direction of Victoria. On Sunday morning the passengers on the Princess Louise were surprised to see, in the distance, a house afloat, and on coming nearer to it they found it was the boat-house. Later in the day the tug Emma went to capture the fugitive and was successful in bringing back the house to its proper place and thus relieving the minds of all those who owned the property.

Maude Granger

Is the name of one of the greatest of emotional actresses now on the American stage. She will appear at The Victoria on Friday evening for the first time, in the play that built for her the reputation she now enjoys, "The Planter's wife." On Saturday night will be given "The Creole." The Portland *News* in its comments of the latter play says: "From the lovers' quarrel in the first act to her appearance in the last, Miss Granger arose to the highest demands. In the conflict of emotions incident to her love for Duhamal, her desire for revenge and her spasmodic awakenings to her drifting into insanity, she exhibited powers and displayed talents that have made many actresses great. The intensity and power of her acting in the scenes with Duhamal were in wonderful contrast with the sarcasm displayed tovards her surrounding satellites in the second time. These qualities when contrasted with her begging for the return of her lover's affection, found out a range of histrionic gifts that must assign the actress to an undeniable high rank in dramatic action."

New Winter Cloakings.

Trimmings and Buttons at the City House. *

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DOUGLAS ISLAND.

The Season's Work in Developing the Extraordinary Quartz Deposits of the Island.

Mr. J. S. Goddard, of Boston, arrived down on the Ancon from the mines of the Union Mining Co. on Douglas Island, where he has been superintending the outside work in preparing for crushing ore. The eighty-stamp mill for which the Union Iron Works of San Francisco had the contract for constructing and erecting, will be ready for work by the first of December. Ground had been cleared for chlorination works, but these will not be put up until the return of spring. Good progress has been made in the working tunnel, which is being driven to tap the ledge about four hundred feet from the surface. A careful survey made demonstrated that about eight hundred feet would reach the ore; seven hundred feet of this had been driven when Mr. Goddard left, the work now being in highly mineralized slate, indicating the near vicinity of the ledge. Water power has been used for driving the drills the past six months, it being secured from Grant creek, which cuts through the ledge. The company own fifteen hundred feet on either side of this creek, and at this point it is exposed a width of 300 feet, and several hundred feet in height. A prospect tunnel was run in from the creek, and five assays made averaged from $6 to $26 per ton. The company have every confidence in the value of their property, and hope to make a good output before spring is far advanced. The steamer Sardonyx, which leaves Chemainus to-day, carries 125,000 feet of lumber and a cargo of coal to the mine, the former of which will be utilized in constructing the necessary buildings. Mr. Goddard leaves for Boston to-day, but will return again in March.

Some twenty carpenters came down on the Idaho, who have been employed on the work of erecting 120 additional stamps for the Alaska Milling and Mining Co. (Treadwell). Manager Treadwell has shut down work on the mill for the winter. Since the chlorination works have been running the output of this company has largely increased. Where formerly the monthly output would be in the neighborhood of $70,000, the free gold extracted, it is now over $100,000, the sulpherets alone yielding $1,000 per day. With the addition of the 120 stamps now being erected, there is every reason to believe that this amount will be doubled. The large chlorination works have been moved to the beach in order to make room for the new mill.

Nothing has been done during the past year on the Bear's Nest mine, the property adjoining the Treadwell, though it is understood that a sale has been negotiated between an English firm of half an interest for something over a million dollars, and that next year a 200-stamp mill and suitable chlorination works will be erected. The wonderful success of the Treadwell mine, and the immense amount of ore that has been exposed by the opening up of the Bear's Nest, almost entitles the statement that there is enough ore in sight to keep a 200-stamp mill going for a century.

The Consolidated mining company, who own a location about half a mile from the Union Co.'s property are prospecting a ledge, which is presumably a continuation, with fair evidence of opening up a good property.

The amount of work that will be progressing on Douglas island in the course of another year will be something remarkable. In the neighborhood of 600 stamps will be pounding away, crushing out a rich harvest of gold fer the fortunate stockholders.

C. E. T. S.

The Concert a Great Success—The Hall Crowded Music and Song.

The regular concert given by the Church of England Temperance Society was held last night in the cathedral schoolroom. In spite of the inclemency of the weather a large audience of ladies and gentlemen rewarded the efforts of those who have to do with the management. The programme, arranged by Mrs. L. M. Caldwell, was a very good one, and the songs and recitations were so well rendered that not only hearty applause, but also hearty *encores* were accorded the amateurs. The concert opened with a few remarks by the Rev. Mr. Davis, who also, later on, gave a lecture on Temperance. Mrs. P. T. Johnston then sang "Consider the Lilies of the Field," and was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. T. N. Hibben. Mr. J. N. Muir then recited "A Thanksgiving Sermon," and, receiving an *encore* gave a short but pithy lecture on the effects of drinking too hard. The next song was by Mrs. Moresby. The power of song possessed by Mrs. Moresby can be better imagined than expressed. She answered to two *encores* and an attempt was made to get her to sing a fourth time. Mrs. Moresby has very kindly promised to sing at the next concert so that those who wish to hear a good voice should make a note of it. The next concert will be given on the 12th of next month. After Mr. Davis had given his lecture on Temperance, refreshments were handed around, the Ladies' Committee receiving the grateful thanks of the epicures present for their kind services. The second part opened with a solo by Miss Nellie Broderick, who showed that the musical part of her education had certainly not been neglected. Dr. Renwick then recited a piece, drawing forth great admiration for his careful and good reading. Mr. Offerhaus sang "The Lighthouse Light," and in response to an *encore*, repeated the last verse. "Home So Blest" was sung by Miss Cameron, accompanied by Miss Nellie Broderick, and was *encored* no less than three times. Miss Jamieson recited an incident of the battle of Solferino, and pleased the audience so well that to hush the applause she had to recite another piece.

Miss Maggie Faron then played "The Mexican Dance," and was followed by Mr. T. Gore, who sang "Thy Sentinel Am I," accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Arrowsmith. This being the last piece on the last verse on the programme the audience was about to rise, but there was something new in treat for them. Willie Bucket, Willie Gabriel, George Martin, George Kurtz, Eugene Miller, Cibil and Frank Hett and Robert, Phillip, Purcell and James Johnston, under the direction of Mrs. Johnston, played "God Save the Queen" on fifes, triangles and drum. The little fellows received great applause, and they certainly deserved it seeing that they have only been learning a little while. A collection was taken at the door and the money received helped greatly to clear the expenses of the delightful entertainment. Mrs. Caldwell was very successful with the programme, everything going off without a hitch.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Mr. E. Johnson, S. M.]

An Indian who was charged with being drunk was fined $5 or one week's imprisonment, and another Indian who was charged with having an intoxicant in his possession was dismissed.

Ah Keong, charged with stealing a coat from the Belmont Tannery:

Mr. Hall, for Mr. T. Fell, appeared for the prisoner.

Officer Robb testified that he arrested the prisoner in A. A. Aaronson's store on Johnson street, and Mr. John J. Crane swore to the coat as being his property, after which the man was remanded until to-morrow. Bail was offered but refused.

SHOCKING ACCIDENT.

A Woman So Badly Burned About the Body that She Will Probably Die.

On Sunday night about 9 o'clock H. J. Cook, the proprietor of the ways of that name on the Indian reserve, retired to bed with his son, leaving Mrs. Cook in the sitting-room lying on the sofa reading. He fell asleep and about 11 o'clock was awakened by loud screams. He started up, when the door of the bedroom was suddenly burst open and his wife rushed into his arms

ONE MASS OF FLAMES.

Although startled and almost overcome by the dreadful sight, the husband did not lose his presence of mind and, hastily picking up a blanket from the bed, he wrapped it around the suffering and frantic woman. By this means the flames were smothered and Mrs. Cook, by this time wholly insensible, was placed upon the bed. Dr. Milne was sent for and applied remedies to restore her to her senses, and after sometime his efforts were rewarded. The burns are of a serious nature, the entire back and front of the body, from the waist up, being a horrible sight to gaze on. All through the long hours of the morning and yesterday the agony of the poor woman, it is said, was terrible, and Dr. Milne gives but little hope of her ever recovering. How the accident occurred the woman can give no explicit account except that she fell asleep and was awakened by the horrible sensations she experienced.

MARINE.

Bark Pak Wan, at Hastings, is having a fore-top-gallant mast fitted.

The eastern maritime fishing fleet intends to move Victoriaward.

Schooner Maggie Mc., cleared at Halifax for this port on the 7th instant.

Bark Bella Vista is still in Esquimalt and leaking badly. She will go into the drydock with the Arabella, for repairs.

Steamer Ancon, Carroll, arrived at the outer wharf yesterday morning from Alaska. She left again for Sound ports at 11 o'clock.

On the 8th inst. the schooner Ariel sailed for St. John, N. B.; and on the day following the schooner Maggie Mc. sailed from Halifax, full for Victoria.

Ship Beaconsfield now loading lumber at Moodyville for the River Platte, is one of the largest that has ever loaded on the inlet, and will take over 1,000,000 feet of lumber.

Barque Sarah J. Ridgway has been beached at Moodyville, and her copper bottom is undergoing a thorough overhauling preparatory to her loading Banff anthracite coal for San Francisco.

Bark Arcturus, 11 days from San Francisco, ran ashore below Point Hudson, on Thursday morning. She was afterwards towed off and taken to Port Hadlock, having sustained little or no damage.

A report from Acapulco dated October 21st states that the ship Wm. F. Babcock is there ready to sail for Portland. She had previously been reported to sail for Nanaimo on October 20th, and such no doubt is her destination.

[The bark Lady Lampson referred to above will be remembered by many of our readers as the one that made several trips in the Hudson's Bay service to this port from London, and which was wrecked some nine or ten years ago near this port.]

Reports from San Francisco say that a 2,000 ton ship will leave that port in a few days for Esquimalt to enter the dock for repairs. She will bring all her material, sheathing, etc., in bond, thus saving ⅓ of what it would cost to dock her at the Bay city. This ship will be followed by others.

Captain Marston, part-owner and commander of the bark Lady Lampson, has delegated to Captain Rush the command of that vessel for the coming winter. For nine years the Lady Lampson and her veteran commander have been in the Honolulu trade and the Captain feels that he has earned a vacation and proposes to enjoy one for the first time in many yeaas. —*S. F. Chronicle.*

Steamer Geo. W. Elder, Ackley, 72 hours from San Francisco, arrived at the outer wharf at 9 o'clock yesterday morning with 10 first-class and 12 steerage passengers for this port. She also brought 124 tons of freight for Victoria. After discharging, the Elder left for the Sound. The present is probably the last trip of this steamer to this port as the Umatilla is now ready to take her place on the route.

The Norwegian bark Vikar which went ashore near the Esquimalt lighthouse on Saturday night, was towed off by the Pilot, early Sunday morning and will enter the drydock to-day. The vessel is leaking badly, the pumps being in operation continually. The cause of the accident is attributed to thick weather, which set in as the captain was making Esquimalt harbor, the light only being distinguishable at times. After striking, the anchors were let go, but they were lost, and the bark was entirely at the mercy of the wind and waves, until the Pilot picked her up. The Vikar is in ballast, and hailed from Honolulu.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Eastern mails since Sunday night are expected to arrive here this evening.

The eyesore to the harbor front, the ancient steamer Otter, is now safely anchored in the boneyard at the upper end of the harbor.

Mine host Marboeuf, of the Poodle Dog, serves up an elegant lunch, and the epicure who would not be satisfied would be hard indeed to please.

Charley Barr, who is staying at the Occidental, says he will undertake to throw McKeown three times out of five any day the latter cares to wrestle.

Supt. Wilson yesterday shipped a quantity of telegraph cable to the Selkirks, where it will be placed under ground in order to obviate danger of breaks from slides.

The temperance contingent of the fleet will give a farewell entertainment on Wednesday evening next in Temperance hall, Pandora street, when an excellent programme will be provided.

The funeral of the late Edward Stephens took place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the Pioneer Hall and St. John's Church. The pallbearers were: A. Allen, F. Page, M. Dodds, J. J. Austin, T. Russell, and A. Graham.

Who is to blame for the fact of their being fully eighteen inches of water on the street at the Cathedral Schoolroom? Nearly everyone who was at the concert last night fell into the water, which came up to their knees. Several persons went in headlong.

Fred. Carne, jr., is the lucky winner of the fancy bed spread that was raffled last night. All the tickets were sold so that the former fair owner of the handsome article has been rewarded for the pains and trouble she took with the work. The happy possessor has done well in getting $100 for $1.

Geo. D. Snow, who ran a cheap theatre where the Club Theatre is in operation, is doing Alaska, introducing some of the standard plays. His wife, "Little Dorrit" as she was styled by the versatile George, seems to have "caught on," if the accounts in the Alaska *Free Press* can be relied upon.

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HUMPHREYS IN COMOX.

TO THE EDITOR:—Thomas B. Humphreys has been hawked and dragged over this district for some time, indeed some ten days before Mr. Stenhouse resigned, and with indifferent success, though he offers us "poor benighted Comoxians," as he terms us, all manner of things—$50,000 per annum, two steamers a week, roads and bridges innumerable, and, forsooth, no less than a gravel walk to every man's door! The only chance we ever had of every man, woman and child being happy and contented, is when he, rejected of almost every constituency in British Columbia, gets into the house of assembly with his terrible besom of destruction. He trusts that his eloquence will charm the electors of Comox as a snake charms a bird, and that we cannot help ourselves, we must vote for him. Yet the shallow braggart cannot but know that we see through him. We well know that his constituency usually is T. B. H., and that alone. T. B. H. is a disciple of St. Paul; he is "all things to all men." To an Englishman he is an Englishman; to a Scot a Scot; to an Irishman he is a native of the "Green Isle;" to a Welchman he is Welch; sometimes he is a Canadian. In religion he is just the same—to our Roman Catholic settlers he is a follower of the vicar of Christ; to the Protestants of course he is one also; and I suppose to Mr. Stenhouse he is a Mormon, which really comes nearer than any. To what have we fallen when we are supposed by consummate cheek to be cajoled into accepting a castaway. He is a great talker; but yet what is the good if he talks for a week, if we hear nothing but falsehoods. We are not quite as green as he takes us to be, if he supposes we cannot see through his statements manufactured out of whole cloth. Y.

Comox, Nov. 8th, 1887.

WHERE IS STENHOUSE?

TO THE EDITOR:—Mr. Stenhouse is at present somewhere in Comox settlement, but where few can tell, and why no one professes to know. Perhaps Mr. Stenhouse has learned that rotten eggs are at a premium. Whether he does so or not, he is not to be seen anywhere. Fresh eggs are scarce, but rotten ones are going at $1 per dozen, and quite a number have been secured and are ready for use, while others are being placed in warm places to give them that peculiar flavour which makes them "egg-streamly" valuable on some occasions. It is a good job that Mr. S. confines himself so much in doors, where no one sees him. A week ago he ventured on the street (in daylight) and canvassed one our of citizens in favor of Mr. Humphreys. We were going along the street at the time while he was holding forth in favor of his would-be successor. The answer he got was, "I'd as soon vote for Qoukam the Siwash as I would vote for Humphreys." "Oh, don't talk so loud; you'll make me deaf," answered Stenhouse. The scene put me very much in mind of a wood-cut in the Nanaimo *Free Press*, where a tall man is impressing upon a very small man the cheapness and superiority of his wares, "and don't you forget it." REMUS.

STENHOUSE'S CHATTELS.

TO THE EDITOR:—Depend upon it that Comox is preparing a stinging rebuke for its late member. He peddled this constituency 'round Victoria, and never told a soul of us that he intended to resign until he had got hold of a *Victorian* to stand in his place. Then he allowed us to know what he had done. Look at the monstrosity of the thing. Stenhouse is the member. He resigns to leave the country. He is selling out his farm. No matter what may be the legislation in the future as far as it concerns Comox, it can't affect him. He will be out of the swim. But have we unfortunate settlers here got to take the man whom he has chosen to succeed him? Not much. He looks on us as his chattels to dispose of as he may like.

Is this right? Is it proper that he (who is going away) should be allowed to saddle us with a *Victorian* while we have a local man like Dingwall, whose interests are our own and who will do his duty by us.

The "convention" here on Thursday was called in the Stenhouse and Humphreys interest. It was a complete failure. Dingwall's friends were so strong that the other party did not attempt to do any business for fear of a vote of censure.

As for Mr. Stenhouse he keeps out of sight. He'd better! EAST COAST.

Comox, Nov. 9.

LETTER FROM BAYNES SOUND.

TO THE EDITOR:—Mr. Humphreys has called here again and has passed on to another part of the district. His arrival was preceded by a copy of the *Standard* attacking Mr. Beaven, and, of course, Mr. H. has had to suffer for the sin of his organ. There is but one feeling here now on the subject. If parties were pretty nearly divided in the house I think Humphreys would have stood some show of getting in; but as the Opposition has smashed up and Mr. Beaven has left it, what hope is there for us if we were to send down an Opposition man? We might as well have no member at all. Stenhouse was bad enough; but he *did* know a little about the district; but Mr. Humphreys doesn't know the first thing, besides he wouldn't have any show in the house with only three or four on the Opposition side, could he? We might as well be without any member at all as to return Mr. Humphreys. If we farmers haven't got a man among us intelligent enough to represent us we'd better go back to school. If we send to Victoria for a member to represent a farming district we must be badly off for brains.

CAMP FIRE.

Baynes Sound, Nov. 7.

PERSONAL.

D. McGillivray, ex-M. P. P., is in the city.

Capt. Tatlow, Vancouver, was in the city yesterday.

M. Lenz and D. J. Munn came down from the mainland last night.

J. W. McFarland, of Vancouver, returned to Vancouver this morning.

J. Lipsett has returned to San Jose, Cal., after having settled up his late brother's affairs.

M. C. Lavin, superintendent of the Pacific Postal and Cable Co., will arrive on the Olympian in the morning.

Miss Black, who has been spending a few weeks with friends in the city, will return to New Westminster this morning by the Yosemite.

Mrs. Moresby and Miss Dickinson, of New Westminster, who have been visiting friends in Victoria, return home on the Yosemite this morning.

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THE COLLIER WELLINGTON

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What might have been a serious collision occurred last Wednesday morning in San Francisco bay. The weather was very thick. The ferryboat Ran Rafael of the North Pacific Coast line, cast off from the slips at Market street at 9:30 o'clock and proceeded slowly down the bay, whistling and ringing her bell. Suddenly Captain Brooks saw the hull of the steam collier Wellington, owned by R. Dunsmuir & Sons, which was anchored in the stream off Pacific street wharf, directly ahead. The helm was put over and the engines reversed, but the danger had been seen too late, for the starboard wheel of the ferryboat struck the bow of the collier and was completely stove in, the San Rafael also being keeled over considerably. On reaching Saucelito, the San Rafael was taken off the route and the Tamalpias put on in her place. The damage done was estimated at $1000. The Wellington, which is an iron vessel, was not injured, the paint only being scraped off her bows. Later in the day she hauled alongside Pacific street wharf. No blame is attached to any one. Both vessels had their bells ringing, but Captain Brooks could not hear that of the collier. No one was hurt, though the passengers on the San Rafael were considerably scared.

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